



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :  
Mika SHIIKI et al. :  
Serial No. 09/916,527 : Group Art Unit - 2822  
Filed: July 27, 2001 : Examiner - Kiesha L. Rose  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND :  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING :  
THE SAME : Docket No. S004-4335  
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7 # Ext of  
Time 2mths

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, DC 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
AND REQUIRED EXTENSION FEE

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Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time for replying to the Office Action dated May 8, 2002 and request that the period for taking further action be reset to expire on October 8, 2002. This is an extension request for replying to the May 8 Office Action within the second month pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

The reason for the present request is to provide additional time to study the May 8 Office Action and take appropriate action in response thereto.

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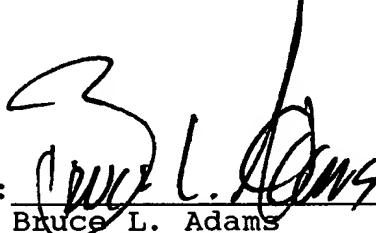
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Respectfully submitted,

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